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EXPORT SUMMARY

U.S. exports of horticultural products to offshore destinations (destinations other than Canada*) in April 1990 totaled $242 million, just $2 million less than the same month last year. The decline was most strongly felt in fresh grapefruit, followed by very small declines in frozen french fries and raisins. The value of tree nut exports increased over April 1989, as did fresh apples, canned vegetables, and hops and products. Hops exports for the seven months of the current fiscal year are running nearly 50 percent above last year's running total, to $46 million. Increased shipments of shelled almonds, especially to Japan and the EC, were responsible for the strong showing in April 1990 tree nut exports. Apple exports to Taiwan and Hong Kong jumped during the month. Total horticultural exports in October 1989 - April 1990 were $1.78 billion, up 4.3 percent over the same period last year. If this trend continues, exports for the 1990 fiscal year will make it over the $3 billion mark.

*Canada is excluded in the totals because U.S. export data to Canadian destinations in recent years have not been accurate. Many export shipments to Canada were not counted.

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U.S EXPORTS OF SELECTED HORTICULTURAL COMMODITIES
WORLD EXC. CANADA, OCTOBER-SEPTEMBER YEAR
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NAME		QUANTITY					VALUE (000 DOLLARS)				
GROUP & COMMODITY		CURR MO LAST YR	CURR MO CURR YR	YR TODATE LAST YR	YR TODATE CURR YR	LAST YEAR	CURR MO LAST YR	CURR MO CURR YR	YR TDT LAST YR	YR TDT CURR YR	LAST YEAR
FR, FRUIT CITRUS	MT										
GRAPEFRUIT		90,606	24,052	342,703	195,596	453,581	44,787	13,618	165,534	108,669	220,228
LEMONS		9,740	10,056	78,230	68,159	130,615	6,081	7,372	50,100	50,672	91,637
ORANGES, INCL TMPL		28,405	35,000	136,501	148,608	274,497	16,479	19,556	77,929	85,291	159,921
OTHER CITRUS		974	209	13,618	7,086	15,404	415	184	8,015	4,432	9,591
Subtotal:——		129,727	69,319	571,054	419,449	874,097	67,763	40,732	301,579	249,065	481,377
FR, FRT, NON-CIT	MT										
APPLES		10,448	18,555	168,475	216,293	203,616	5,424	8,508	84,105	100,595	102,190
AVOCADOS		458	166	3,843	1,031	5,599	649	383	4,862	1,486	7,346
CHERRIES SWT & TRT		0	98	587	497	20,017	0	126	659	627	56,503
GRAPES		402	329	42,818	37,852	71,267	481	264	42,137	38,288	73,431
KIWIFRUIT		365	687	5,098	3,782	5,215	661	1,276	7,990	6,331	8,153
MELONS		278	142	3,141	2,529	19,185	231	152	2,074	1,464	9,605
PAPAYA		995	800	5,686	5,639	10,633	877	890	5,324	5,488	10,002
PEACHES & NCTRNS		118	117	1,805	2,715	12,081	66	71	1,236	1,799	7,194
PEARS		2,601	4,570	28,531	44,312	38,239	1,039	2,243	12,669	20,163	17,140
STRAWBERRIES		297	68	1,858	1,400	6,197	636	316	6,468	5,621	19,978
OTHER NON-CITRUS		555	1,427	9,209	7,182	54,562	596	1,689	11,901	8,245	48,541
Subtotal:——		16,520	26,966	271,055	323,236	446,615	10,665	15,923	179,429	190,112	360,088
CND/PREP FRUIT	MT										
CHERRIES TRT CND		315	431	1,826	4,207	5,617	502	554	2,692	5,591	7,700
FRUIT MIXTURES		1,386	1,127	12,201	10,173	16,891	1,331	1,444	12,967	10,430	17,956
MARACHINO CHRY		221	138	1,361	1,173	2,189	354	229	2,556	2,020	4,089
PEACHES CANNED		2,359	1,043	10,366	6,796	16,341	2,332	1,034	10,019	6,842	15,263
PINEAPPLE CANNED		481	560	4,036	1,991	5,217	458	474	3,734	1,752	4,905
FRT PREP/PRES		2,073	3,891	17,834	18,336	27,934	2,317	3,477	18,592	17,999	29,717
OTHER CANNED FR		1,643	1,496	7,323	10,015	16,623	1,731	1,900	8,946	11,773	18,848
Subtotal:——		8,482	8,688	54,950	52,694	90,814	9,027	9,114	59,510	56,409	98,483
DRIED FRUIT	MT										
PRUNES, DRIED		4,184	4,485	34,710	43,357	54,392	6,718	6,744	54,705	67,587	88,316
RAISINS, DRIED		8,183	7,449	52,522	54,341	90,598	12,300	11,460	78,595	84,124	137,141
OTHER DRIED FRUIT		1,273	1,270	6,597	6,226	9,807	2,365	2,367	12,917	13,793	19,213
Subtotal:——		13,641	13,206	93,830	103,924	154,798	21,384	20,572	146,218	165,505	244,671
FROZEN FRUIT	MT										
BLUEBERRIES, FZN		1	109	3,967	2,801	6,499	2	107	2,304	2,012	3,823
STRAWBERRIES, FZN		339	751	3,132	4,124	8,032	334	659	3,449	4,684	8,871
OTHER FZN FRUIT		333	226	2,845	3,009	7,466	418	355	3,874	3,889	9,772
Subtotal:——		674	1,087	9,945	9,935	21,999	755	1,123	9,629	10,586	22,467
FRT&VEG JUICE (SSE)	KL										
GRAPEFRUIT JU CNC		4,821	3,447	20,214	13,607	37,978	3,087	2,425	12,104	9,194	23,601
ORANGE JU NT CNC		2,333	0	16,423	4,320	40,726	1,437	0	8,750	1,586	18,516
ORANGE JUICE CNC		13,320	14,695	65,312	91,971	160,086	6,933	7,921	32,893	48,518	77,505
OTHER JUICES		17,604	20,480	107,050	115,972	188,523	10,727	10,996	54,106	66,483	102,329
Subtotal:——		38,080	38,622	208,999	225,871	427,315	22,185	21,343	107,854	125,783	221,952
VEGETABLES FR	MT										
ASPARAGUS, FR, CHL		2,587	2,929	7,729	7,332	9,158	6,804	9,418	23,346	26,711	26,560
LETTUCE, FR, CH.		1,375	1,849	7,647	13,773	27,163	640	1,037	4,390	7,913	11,902
ONIONS, FR		1,051	211	39,719	42,388	49,039	296	118	11,085	10,241	13,721
TOMATOES, FR, CH.		64	516	1,936	1,600	4,819	67	281	1,753	1,210	3,492
OTHER VEG, FR.		4,873	8,353	46,292	51,810	82,095	4,145	6,383	37,084	42,249	64,875
Subtotal:——		9,952	13,861	103,326	116,904	172,276	11,954	17,239	77,660	88,326	120,553
VEGETABLES CANNED	MT										
CATSUP & CHILI SA		929	1,214	6,587	7,659	11,165	755	858	5,031	5,745	8,832
SWEET CORN CANNED		7,157	12,319	64,409	77,871	97,511	5,991	9,143	52,562	61,280	79,030
TOMATO PASTE		58	388	1,346	4,367	4,864	66	408	1,467	5,078	5,078
TOMATO SAUCE		1,497	1,779	8,585	14,804	14,952	1,325	1,749	7,810	12,444	13,434
OTHER CANNED VEG.		5,831	9,204	44,203	55,182	78,425	8,162	10,011	52,975	72,422	101,934
Subtotal:——		15,474	24,906	125,131	159,886	206,919	16,301	22,171	119,847	156,972	208,310
VEGETABLES FZN	MT										
F FRY FZN		15,592	12,629	83,249	85,315	140,635	10,648	8,933	54,610	58,569	91,991
FZN SWT CORN		5,755	4,774	33,195	32,949	52,319	3,402	3,661	24,530	26,175	39,651
OTHER POT. FZN		1,661	986	10,353	8,794	17,264	1,516	1,102	8,763	8,295	15,110
OTHER FZN VEG		4,087	3,512	28,652	27,355	48,171	3,550	3,649	25,012	26,148	45,824
Subtotal:——		27,097	21,901	155,450	154,414	258,391	19,117	17,348	112,917	119,188	192,577
DEHYD VEGETABLES	MT										
GARLIC DEHY		348	264	2,603	2,699	4,561	761	657	5,211	5,922	9,087
ONIONS DEHY		1,469	946	11,902	10,089	19,128	3,002	2,053	20,098	21,591	34,796
POTATO DEHYD		1,838	1,529	13,718	13,348	22,305	1,770	2,684	10,901	18,013	19,351
OTHER DEHY VEG.		1,226	4,176	9,822	11,903	19,721	1,347	2,352	13,926	13,554	23,289
Subtotal:——		4,883	6,917	38,047	38,040	65,718	6,881	7,748	50,138	59,082	86,524
TREE NUTS	MT										
ALMND SH/PREP		9,773	11,998	93,449	87,027	150,476	31,550	38,527	289,809	282,290	474,300
ALMONDS, UNSHLD		441	149	9,405	4,028	13,300	1,324	425	20,781	11,275	30,540
PISTACHIO, UNSHLD		518	132	2,589	1,500	4,004	1,877	518	9,503	6,379	14,510
WALNUTS, SHLD		857	553	7,571	8,219	11,377	1,830	1,975	19,599	21,582	28,681
WALNUTS, UNSHLD		200	323	42,578	48,013	45,535	363	640	67,594	80,430	72,395
OTHER NUTS		856	1,366	8,976	8,791	14,809	2,745	4,764	26,715	28,481	43,002
Subtotal:——		12,647	14,522	164,571	157,580	239,503	39,692	46,852	434,003	430,440	663,431
NURSERY PRODUCTS	NONE										
CUT FLOWERS		0	0	0	0	0	260	629	2,808	3,570	5,162
OTHER NURS, PROD.		0	0	0	0	0	5,655	5,134	30,594	30,295	45,800
Subtotal:——		0	0	0	0	0	5,916	5,763	33,402	33,865	50,963
HOPS & PRODUCTS	MT										
HOP EXTRACT		155	288	1,646	1,811	2,554	3,886	3,715	22,731	20,330	33,647
HOP PELLETS		52	671	849	4,360	5,438	174	2,971	3,532	19,468	18,330
HOPS, NSFP		53	459	983	1,387	1,491	573	2,269	5,128	6,219	8,615
Subtotal:——		261	1,419	3,479	7,559	9,484	4,633	8,956	31,392	46,018	60,592
WINE	KL										
GRAPE WINES		5,085	5,231	25,648	30,103	49,700	7,576	7,337	36,595	44,338	69,899
OTHER WINE PRODUCT		1,192	331	4,181	1,878	9,453	816	224	2,717	1,665	5,202
Subtotal:——		6,278	5,562	29,829	31,981	59,153	8,392	7,561	39,312	46,003	75,102
Grand Total:							244,672	242,448	1,702,897	1,777,361	2,887,098

U.S. IMPORTS OF SELECTED HORTICULTURAL COMMODITIES
WORLD SUMMARY, OCTOBER-SEPTEMBER YEAR
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NAME		QUANTITY					VALUE (000 DOLLARS)				
GROUP & COMMODITY		CURR MO LAST YR	CURR MO CURR YR	YR TODATE LAST YR	YR TODATE CURR YR	LAST YEAR	CURR MO LAST YR	CURR MO CURR YR	YR TDT LAST YR	YR TDT CURR YR	LAST YEAR
FRESH FRUIT	MT										
APPLES		19,666	17,711	60,103	61,427	116,285	8,332	8,855	24,099	24,053	48,382
AVOCADO		7	0	4,058	4,701	4,524	6	4	3,682	4,304	4,078
BANANA		214,725	271,265	1,637,814	1,757,586	2,869,739	58,211	77,882	455,063	499,125	795,277
CANTELOUPE		62,808	59,807	169,830	178,946	218,401	20,445	20,195	55,201	55,239	72,174
GRAPE		77,173	60,679	246,958	330,165	280,754	55,484	44,006	182,394	250,845	217,842
KIWIFRUIT		528	337	686	558	19,869	668	359	1,031	736	18,598
MANGO		5,496	7,046	8,423	11,169	52,219	4,973	7,119	6,902	10,819	42,558
PEACH		1,907	165	44,846	48,102	45,391	1,035	131	29,977	31,261	30,449
PEAR		7,698	3,210	28,950	33,396	39,943	3,391	2,189	17,097	18,098	25,052
PINEAPPLE		6,478	12,898	52,523	62,194	92,141	2,729	5,511	22,277	26,294	38,108
RASPBERRY		189	163	1,117	1,304	9,169	514	438	3,555	3,339	15,681
STRAWBERRY		2,999	3,712	14,186	11,871	16,334	2,668	3,788	17,620	15,938	18,526
OTHER MELON		22,594	20,938	82,807	78,149	101,802	6,872	6,843	25,111	22,534	32,374
OTHER FRUIT		64,507	45,853	279,481	242,445	436,377	12,868	12,302	80,166	77,421	117,992
Subtotal:——		486,781	503,791	2,631,788	2,822,020	4,302,956	178,204	189,628	924,181	1,040,012	1,477,097
DRIED FRUIT	MT										
DATE		1,785	661	6,333	7,629	10,049	1,325	767	6,084	7,440	9,572
DRD APRICOT		162	900	5,575	6,004	7,372	396	1,674	11,956	11,099	16,276
DRD FIG & PASTE		290	457	4,285	5,177	5,419	287	452	5,790	6,193	7,309
RAISIN		455	373	5,476	5,823	10,598	414	388	4,978	5,740	9,714
OTHER DRD FRUIT		2,362	457	5,282	5,731	11,415	1,483	680	5,455	7,100	11,944
Subtotal:——		5,055	2,849	26,954	30,367	44,855	3,907	3,964	34,265	37,574	54,817
FROZEN FRUIT	MT										
FZN RASP		335	201	1,325	1,551	3,203	494	238	2,100	1,837	4,746
FZN STR		3,680	1,062	13,665	3,136	20,839	2,312	828	8,400	2,332	13,154
OTHER FZN FRUIT		249	734	4,608	6,507	8,089	308	1,123	6,125	10,274	11,345
Subtotal:——		4,265	1,997	19,599	11,194	32,131	3,116	2,190	16,625	14,444	29,246
CND/PREP FRUIT	MT										
CANNED PEACH		4,112	3,862	33,308	25,177	50,435	2,360	2,316	21,626	16,143	32,644
CANNED PEAR		22	223	564	909	1,218	12	160	337	542	756
CANNED PINEAP		19,225	0	158,026	0	214,390	10,903	0	94,195	0	126,524
MIXED FRUIT		1,594	1,291	9,881	7,843	18,700	1,227	1,164	7,307	6,300	13,975
PREP/PRES FRUIT		13,003	12,976	68,511	99,202	150,729	18,873	20,579	94,286	145,102	210,401
OTHER CND FRUIT		9,482	11,214	84,995	75,415	136,156	13,525	17,990	116,843	115,799	192,304
Subtotal:——		47,440	29,568	355,289	208,549	571,631	46,903	42,211	334,597	283,887	576,606
FRT&VEG JUICE (SSE)	KL										
APPLEPEAR JU		56,282	63,326	581,625	399,705	942,315	12,728	12,217	123,655	83,285	195,193
FCOJ		91,381	94,423	836,582	1,122,620	1,110,287	26,401	38,880	294,728	349,675	383,758
GRAPE JU		3,975	5,210	35,669	43,135	62,114	940	1,189	8,466	10,226	15,086
PINAP JU		17,379	21,774	122,763	171,175	251,522	3,258	4,334	23,658	33,567	47,881
OTHER FRUIT JU		67,528	18,300	210,671	230,199	413,601	21,765	7,321	83,972	73,273	154,243
Subtotal:——		236,547	203,036	1,787,312	1,966,836	2,779,840	65,094	63,943	534,481	550,028	796,164
VEGETABLES FR	MT										
ASPARAGUS		514	403	11,327	15,212	14,833	379	364	14,678	23,332	18,006
BEAN		1,682	691	12,301	11,885	13,704	1,724	527	11,812	15,852	13,034
BELL PEPPER		10,257	6,558	83,099	89,273	102,086	8,196	8,784	52,450	107,451	76,754
CARROT		3,848	4,375	38,167	45,789	53,165	962	930	8,873	9,104	12,204
CHILI PEPPER		2,850	3,145	19,553	18,347	30,994	2,761	3,692	16,468	21,939	26,268
CUCUMBER		17,346	12,303	180,698	174,065	192,544	7,809	5,054	73,213	69,153	79,511
EGGPLANT		2,397	1,542	16,657	13,493	17,232	1,244	845	8,252	16,304	8,573
GARLIC		1,719	1,956	5,622	9,640	13,771	1,273	2,277	5,346	11,177	11,824
LETTUCE		64	49	23,374	10,821	26,848	56	35	8,168	4,222	9,291
ONION		24,710	37,210	119,973	139,009	157,717	7,202	9,640	47,800	51,069	66,295
POTATO, INCL SD		49,294	46,873	217,988	241,130	285,378	11,937	11,713	47,212	55,335	61,959
SQUASH		8,269	8,447	67,135	72,881	75,428	4,040	4,259	32,063	41,090	34,510
TOMATO		42,830	18,185	255,331	314,710	365,850	30,990	10,174	154,506	360,772	212,151
OTHER FRS VEG		21,036	24,083	167,318	205,110	266,222	11,222	13,460	81,408	111,535	128,506
Subtotal:——		186,822	165,827	1,218,548	1,361,371	1,615,777	89,801	71,760	562,254	898,342	758,891
VEG CANNED/DEHYD	MT										
CND ARTICHOKE		760	603	3,891	7,569	15,280	1,699	1,061	7,999	14,648	30,556
CND MSHROOMS		7,352	4,445	30,276	25,574	53,359	17,643	12,140	72,216	66,025	128,899
CND PIMIENTO		457	629	5,558	6,040	8,428	515	850	7,330	7,372	10,598
CND TOM		7,568	1,804	46,664	21,433	65,639	4,417	1,134	28,120	11,397	38,927
TOM PASTE		14,348	10,528	57,067	36,624	107,260	13,844	9,207	50,337	31,702	97,511
TOM SAUCE		266	0	1,551	471	2,462	132	0	965	242	1,396
DEHYD VEGETABLES		7,063	11,319	74,764	60,571	121,319	7,249	14,042	57,854	78,001	98,747
OTHER CND VEG		15,719	12,995	123,192	110,394	202,173	12,777	12,395	104,702	97,589	170,067
Subtotal:——		53,537	42,327	342,969	268,679	575,924	58,280	50,832	329,527	306,979	576,705
VEGETABLES FZN	MT										
BROCCOLI FZN		11,662	14,424	61,776	71,210	105,822	7,147	9,803	38,973	48,045	65,335
CAULIFLOR FZN		348	372	16,459	21,970	21,752	245	278	10,849	15,369	14,561
OKRA FZN		246	324	1,209	1,810	3,923	145	148	702	895	2,175
POTATO FZN		3,850	5,722	25,639	30,717	44,879	2,000	3,237	12,959	17,000	22,984
OTHER VEG FZN		3,701	3,637	34,436	23,201	50,292	3,867	3,541	31,349	24,109	46,545
Subtotal:——		19,810	24,481	139,521	148,910	226,670	13,407	17,010	94,833	105,421	151,601
TREE NUTS	MT										
BRAZILS TOT		104	98	2,574	3,110	6,339	281	164	7,544	7,865	16,824
CASHEWS TOT		3,531	3,891	25,784	29,058	46,334	14,914	14,130	119,420	114,697	209,929
FILBERTS TOT		156	216	3,242	2,194	4,777	447	610	9,423	5,469	12,948
PISTACHIOS TOT		32	81	277	1,563	906	148	269	1,106	6,168	2,961
OTHER NUTS		4,476	4,870	43,401	50,435	70,890	4,226	5,639	51,052	65,043	88,952
Subtotal:——		8,301	9,157	75,280	86,361	129,248	20,019	20,815	188,547	199,244	331,616
NURSERY PRODUCTS	NONE										
CARNATIONS		0	0	0	0	0	6,827	7,971	43,429	45,256	72,187
ROSES		0	0	0	0	0	5,712	7,402	41,613	51,038	71,908
OTHER CUT FLRS		0	0	0	0	0	12,513	16,519	98,336	96,231	157,931
OTH NURS PROD		0	0	0	0	0	3,136	6,596	65,732	81,020	115,677
Subtotal:——		0	0	0	0	0	28,189	38,488	249,112	273,547	417,704
HOPS & PRODUCTS	MT										
HOPS & PELLETS		560	191	4,533	6,251	4,936	2,527	736	19,133	26,797	21,165
OTHER HOP PRODS		90	0	583	1,118	676	503	0	3,104	6,885	3,614
Subtotal:——		650	191	5,117	7,369	5,612	3,030	736	22,237	33,682	24,780
WINE	KL										
GRAPE WINES		21,445	19,236	166,092	164,862	274,248	67,335	60,931	531,961	558,455	886,210
OTHER WN PROD		800	252	6,218	2,499	9,051	1,372	559	10,542	5,237	15,582
Subtotal:——		22,246	19,488	172,311	167,361	283,300	68,708	61,491	542,503	563,692	901,793
Grand Total:							578,662	563,074	3,833,168	4,306,858	6,097,026

General Developments

--The Canadian International Trade Tribunal (CITT) has been directed to undertake a study of the "competitiveness" of certain Canadian horticultural crops. The study, requested by the Canadian Horticultural Council, a grower organization, most likely will include apples and potatoes and is expected to be published in about 18 months. Besides information on production levels and trends, trade patterns and consumer preferences, the study will also examine the effects of increased foreign competition and changing international trade conditions. Government intervention in areas affecting selected crops in Canada and the United States will be investigated to determine if differences in government programs or regulations are affecting the relative competitiveness of Canadian products.

Billed as equivalent to a U.S. International Trade Commission section 332 investigation, this study is the first one undertaken under Chapter 18 of the CITT Act, which allows this type of investigation. The CITT has been requested to gather objective data for future policy initiatives in the Canadian horticultural sector. Currently, some Canadian producers are grumbling about low priced imports, while processors attempt to compete against a perceived "unlevel playing field" with respect to product input costs, fuel, tax and labor costs, as compared to their counterparts in the United States. These differences may now shrink processors' profits, given that the tariff walls behind which they formerly operated are slowly being dismantled as a result of the U.S.-Canada Free Trade Agreement.

Since 1980, Canadian exports of horticultural crops and products to the United States increased 313 percent, from 84 million Canadian dollars to 254 million Canadian dollars, while Canadian imports from the United States of the same items increased 173 percent from 1.0 to 1.74 billion Canadian dollars. (David W. Cottrell, 202-382-8899)

--Polish cold spell damages fruit trees, strawberries, tomatoes, cucumbers, and beans. A sudden cold spell damaged crops in eastern, central, and southern Poland during May 19 - 21. Up to 70 percent of apple buds were damaged, with similar damage reported for plums and sour cherries. Strawberries, tomatoes, potatoes, cucumbers, and beans also were affected. This damage follows frost damage in early April that affected fruit trees in central and southeastern Poland. Polish government officials noted that a precise calculation of fruit tree losses cannot be made until later this year when a count of remaining tree buds is taken. (Mark Thompson, 202-447-6877)

Fresh Non-Citrus

--Mexico extends permits for imports of fresh apples. The last issue of this circular reported that nine import licenses (due to expire in June) were issued to Mexican retailers, allowing for imports of apples totaling 1,905 tons. However, an update from the Mexican government has revealed that twelve import licenses were originally issued, allowing for imports of apples totaling 2,250 tons. All licenses have been extended but the final expiration date has not been officially announced. (Joani Dong, 202-447-4620)

--Chilean kiwifruit and other fresh fruit exports increased dramatically over last year. As of mid-June, Chilean kiwifruit exports were at 7.0 million trays, up 70 percent over the same period last year. Europe is the largest market for Chilean kiwi, taking over 6.7 million trays. Table grape exports were also up significantly, with the United States as the largest market, followed by Europe and the Middle East.

--Mexican avocado producers are seeking government-enforced quality and phytosanitary standards to control avocado seed weevils. The Michoacan Regional Avocado Growers Association (RVGA) is appealing to Mexican government authorities to impose formal guidelines on avocado production in order to improve quality and price and to make their fruit more marketable internationally. The state of Michoacan produces about 70 percent of Mexico's total avocado production. According to the association, in 1989/90 Michoacan had 80,000 hectares planted to avocado trees, of which 25 percent are not yet bearing. Output of avocados in the state totals about 500,000 tons. Mexico's principal export outlets for avocados include France, Canada and Japan. Imports of fresh avocados from Mexico are prohibited entry into the United States, because of the Mexican fruit fly, the seed moth and the seed weevil. In 1989, U.S. imports of fresh avocados were valued at $4.4 million, with Chile accounting for 90 percent of the total value, followed by the Dominican Republic with 9 percent, and the Bahamas with the balance. (Emanuel McNeil, 202-447-2083)

Dried Fruit and Nuts

--Spanish trade sources are forecasting a sharp reduction in the 1990 almond crop. Current estimates are for a crop of about 60,000 to 65,000 metric tons, shelled basis, compared with earlier forecasts for 90,000 to 100,000 tons. Abnormally warm winter temperatures and frosts in March and April have resulted in this substantially smaller crop. Frost damage was heavy in the Northern producing areas, notably Rioja, Aragon and Lerida, as well as in Albacete (Central Plateau) and in high altitude groves of Alicante/Murcia region (Southeastern Spain). (Asif Chaudhry, 202-447-2252)

--A reported increase in Chinese walnut output may enhance export prospects this year. According to the Agricultural Counselor in Beijing, China's walnut production reached 160,050 tons, in shell basis, in 1989, due mainly to excellent off-year production in Yunnan and Sichuan. This is an increase from the last USDA estimate of 151,000 tons. Favorable weather and new trees reaching bearing age also accounted for the increase. Low domestic consumption (0.22 kg per capita) coupled with demand for foreign exchange may increase export availability. Quality of inshell walnuts of Chinese origin is generally poor. Shelled halves and pieces and processed walnuts offer stiffer competition to U.S. nuts in various markets. As major producing areas are distant from sea ports and the domestic transportation infrastructure is poor, Chinese walnuts from inland areas do not reach European markets until after the Christmas season. (Asif Chaudhry, 202-447-2252)

WALNUTS: PRODUCTION, SUPPLY & DISTRIBUTION FOR CHINA
(METRIC TONS, INSHELL BASIS)

YEAR[1]	BEGINNING STOCKS	PRODUCTION	IMPORTS	TOTAL SUPPLY
1987/88	0	147,000	0	147,000
1988/89	0	177,100	0	177,100
1989/90	0	160,050	0	160,050

YEAR[1]	EXPORTS	DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION	ENDING STOCKS	TOTAL DISTRIBUTION
1987/88	38,400	108,600	0	147,000
1988/89	47,300	129,800	0	177,100
1989/90	41,000	119,050	0	160,050

[1]Oct.-Sept. marketing year.

Wine

--The Government of Chile set a maximum level for sorbitol in wine for export at 700 milligrams per liter. This action came as the result of the discovery of unacceptable levels of sorbitol in Chilean wine by authorities in the United Kingdom and New Zealand. Previous to the new resolution published May 2, 1990, Chile had no regulations governing sorbitol in wine. The new regulation is based on studies by Chilean researchers to determine the natural levels of sorbitol in Chilean wine. Sorbitol is a natural sweetener found in many fruits, which can reach unacceptable levels in wine when over-ripe grapes are used. The United States imported $9.5 million in wine from Chile during 1989. (John Toaspern, 202-382-8498)

--U.S. wines were the fastest growing segment of Canadian wine imports during 1989. Imports of wine from the United States grew 38 percent in volume and 56 percent in value. These increases put the United States in the number two spot in volume and number three in value. Since 1987, Canadian imports of all wine have nearly doubled in value terms, while volume data show an increase of nearly 60 percent. This indicates a change in consumer preference occurring in Canada, as in the United States, towards higher priced varietal wines. The data show that this consumer trend is affecting imports from all major origins as well as domestic producers. It is hoped that this shift in preference will help U.S. producers gain a larger share of the highly competitive Canadian wine market. Import figures are as follows:

CANADIAN WINE IMPORTS, 1988-1989
(1,000 liters, Can$ 1,000)

Country	1988 Quantity	1988 Value	1989 Quantity	1989 Value	Percent Change 1988 - 1989 Quantity	Percent Change 1988 - 1989 Value
United States	17,171	18,879	23,727	29,537	38.2%	56.5%
France	59,937	135,575	67,323	180,995	12.3%	33.5%
Italy	18,297	30,218	18,808	38,564	2.8%	27.6%
West Germany	10,899	26,227	10,587	26,397	-2.9%	0.6%
Spain	12,124	15,648	8,869	16,953	-26.8%	8.3%
Other	17,564	25,923	18,169	34,368	3.4%	32.6%
Total	135,992	252,470	147,483	362,814	8.4%	29.4%

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

(John Toaspern, 202-382-8498 & Fred Kessel, Ottawa)

--Austrian wine consumption is high, but import restrictions allow little trade. Wine production and consumption in Austria are both very significant with production in 1989 at 2.6 million hectoliters and per capita consumption by the 7.5 million inhabitants at 34.5 liters (9.1 gallons). A portion of this consumption is made up of imports. Austrian wine imports are subject to quantitative restrictions designed to protect the country's wine industry. Under Austria's GATT commitment a base import quota of 180,000 liters is permitted per year with additional imports allowed based on domestic production and demand. The quota is allocated as follows: Spain 20%, Other EC 52%, Other Countries 28%. As approximately 80 percent of Austrian wine production is white wines, (2.1 million hectoliters in 1989), the bulk of imports are red wines. In 1989 imports of red wine totaled 196,700 hectoliters, including 107,000 hl. in bulk, 78,900 hl. in high quality bottled wine and 10,800 hl. in bottled table wine.

Austrian imports of U.S. wine are very small. In 1989, 130 hectoliters each of red and sparkling wine were imported from the United States. Austria exported 230 hl. of white wine to the United States during the same period. The reason for the low level of Austrian imports of U.S. wines is the relatively high price and a lack of product awareness. However, with market promotion and advertising the market potential for high quality U.S. wines could improve.

Wine imports into Austria face a 630 Austrian Schilling (approximately $54.00) duty per 100 kilograms for bottled wine in bottles of 2 liters or less. Other regulations include a label which must contain the following: country of origin, including region of origin; producer, packer or distributor (name and city); variety and year; type, e.g., late harvest, red wine, etc. Labeling in English is acceptable. All wine imported into Austria must be accompanied by a certificate of origin and quality, issued by an organization approved by Austria. The list of organizations in the United States authorized as of December 14, 1989 to issue the certificates is shown on the next page.

ORGANIZATIONS ISSUING AUSTRIAN WINE CERTIFICATES

LABORATORIES OF THE BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND FIREARMS (BATF)	WASHINGTON, D.C.
BRONCO WINE COMPANY	CERES
ENOLOGICAL TECHNICAL SERVICES	ST HELENA
MONT LA SALLE VINEYARDS	ST HELENA & REEDLEY
E. & J. GALLO WINERY	MODESTO
HEUBLEIN WINES	MADERA
SCOTT LABORATORIES, INC	PETALUMA
VINQUIRY	HEALDSBURG
HERBERT SHUSTER INC	QUINCY
STIMSON LANE LTD	PATERSON
GUILD WINERIES AND DISTILLERIES	WOODBRIDGE
WINE WORLD INC	ST HELENA
CANANDAIGUA WINE CO. INC	CANANDAIGUA
ROBERT MONDAVI WINERY	OAKVILLE
SEBASTAIANI VINEYARDS	SONOMA
SILVERADO VINEYARDS	NAPA
SUTTER HOME WINERY, INC	ST HELENA
VINTNERS INTERNATIONALS CO., INC	GONZALES & MADERA

(John Toaspern, 202-382-8498) based on report by AGCounselor Vienna

CANADA PROPOSES NEW APPLE MARKETING AGENCY

Canada proposes to establish a national marketing agency for fresh apples. The National Farm Products Marketing Council (NFPMC), overseer of Canada's supply managed national marketing agencies, has called for public hearings on the proposal to establish the agency. These hearings are expected to be held across Canada in the summer of 1990.

Authority to establish such an agency is contained in the Farm Products Marketing Agencies Act of 1972 (FPMA Act), under which Canada established the Canadian Egg Marketing Agency in 1973 and the Canadian Broiler Hatching Egg Marketing Agency in late 1988.

The development follows a formal request to the Council by a coalition of the provincial apple marketing boards and commissions in the five major apple producing provinces (British Columbia, Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick).

It calls for supply regulation and price-setting powers for fresh market apples in Canada. Apples for processing would be excluded from the proposed plan. The proposal also calls for import controls based on historical performance similar to existing poultry and egg programs. However, there would be no import restrictions on processed apple products. There also would be no import controls on fresh apples imported for processing.

The formation of a national agency for apples (and import controls) would mark the first time that an agency established under the FPMA Act would affect the agricultural exports of countries other than the United States (see table below). Fresh apples would likely be added to the Import Control List under the authority of Canada's Export and Import Permits Act.

Major reasons cited by growers for supporting a national apple marketing agency are: market penetration by imports, low market prices, rising input costs, and failure of the the national tripartite apple plan to adequately stabilize returns. Anticipated benefits would include a guaranteed market return based on the cost of production and import controls which could lead to a higher price level Canadian for apples.

The United States is the major supplier of fresh apples to Canada. According to official Canadian trade data, imports of apples from the United States were valued at more than $42.6 million in CY 1989. This is down 57 percent from the 1988 figure of $100.1 million.

In recent years, U.S. apple exports to Canada have been affected by a revision to Canadian minimum size requirements and anti-dumping duties assessed on imports of Washington State Red and Golden Delicious apples. The formation of a national agency would add quantitative controls to these existing barriers. It could also restrict U.S. access to the Canadian fresh apple market and limit growth trends registered in recent years. Despite lower total import volumes, the U.S. percentage share of the Canadian apple market has rebounded in recent years following strong competition from offshore supplies throughout the 1980's. This recovery could be impeded if, under import controls, competing suppliers were granted guaranteed proportional access to the Canadian market based on historical performance.

CANADA: Fresh Apple Imports by Major Supplier, CY 1982-1989
(1,000 Metric Tons)

Supplier	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
U.S.	87.1	54.3	64.8	57.2	63.5	97.8	81.6	66.3
France	9.5	6.0	7.7	6.4	8.6	1.2	0.0	0.3
S. Africa	3.7	6.7	10.5	14.4	6.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
N. Zealand	3.0	12.6	8.4	15.1	20.5	22.2	18.3	12.9
Chile	4.3	3.7	6.4	6.0	6.9	12.8	10.7	7.7
Argentina	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	1.1	0.0	2.4
Other	0.1	2.2	1.0	0.4	1.3	1.2	0.3	2.5
TOTAL	107.7	85.5	98.8	99.5	107.2	135.2	110.9	89.7
% U.S. SHARE	81	64	66	57	59	72	74	74

Source: Statistics Canada, Imports by Commodity, Annual Issues.

(Joani Dong, 202-447-4620 & Fred Kessel, Ottawa)

MONTHLY EXCHANGE RATES FOR SELECTED FOREIGN CURRENCIES
June 29, 1990

(Foreign Currency Units Per U.S. Dollar)

Currencies	6/29/90 Current Rate	5/29/90 Month Ago Rate	6/89 Year Ago Avg.	6/88 Two Year Ago Avg.
Canadian Dollar	1.1637	1.1805	1.1980	1.2168
ECU 1/	0.8177	0.8144	0.9554	0.8449
British Pound	0.5718	0.5905	0.6437	0.5628
French Franc	5.5820	5.6375	6.7064	5.9272
West German Mark	1.6607	1.6750	1.9766	1.7571
Japanese Yen	152.0500	151.0000	143.7200	127.4000
South Korean Won	706.9600	701.9000	660.6500	731.2280
New Taiwan Dollar	27.2000	27.5000	25.7770	28.6300
Singapore Dollar	1.8400	1.8450	1.9575	2.0274
Hong Kong Dollar	7.7875	7.7810	7.7914	7.8057

1/ European Currency Unit. A weighted basket of the currencies of the 12 EC member states.

Exchange rates are spot as of 3 p.m. Eastern Time, June 29, 1990.
Source: FAS/TEID Exchange Rate Database and Wall Street Journal.

UNITED STATES AND MEXICO AGREE TO INITIATE FREE TRADE AGREEMENT NEGOTIATIONS

In early June, the Presidents of the United States and Mexico held bilateral talks on a wide range of issues, including international trade. The text below is a joint statement by them on the negotiation of a free trade agreement.

"During their June 10 meeting in Washington, the Presidents of Mexico and the United States held discussions on bilateral relations, with the particular purpose of broadening and strengthening economic relations between the two countries. Both President agreed that their two countries must look to the future and devise ways to meet the challenges of the 1990s and the next century, establishing a climate of greater stability and confidence for trade and investment.

The Presidents share a commitment to forge a vigorous partnership for sustained economic growth and opportunity -- one which will open markets so that trade and investment can expand further.

The two Presidents have determined that a comprehensive Free Trade Agreement is the best vehicle to achieve these ambitious objectives and, therefore, agree to move in a timely manner toward that end. They are convinced that free trade between Mexico and the United States can be a powerful engine for economic development, creating new jobs and opening new markets.

Accordingly, they have directed Ambassador Carla A. Hills, the United States Trade Representative, and Dr. Jaime Serra Puche, the Minister of Commerce and Industrial Development of Mexico, to undertake the consultations and preparatory work needed to initiate such negotiations, in accordance with each country's internal procedures, and to report back to the two Presidents as soon as practicable, but in any event before their next meeting in December.

The Presidents agreed that the greatest possible mutual benefit would derive from an agreement that entails the gradual and comprehensive elimination of trade barriers between the two countries, including: the full, phased elimination of import tariffs; the elimination or fullest possible reduction of non-tariff trade barriers, such as import quotas, licenses and technical barriers to trade; the establishment of clear, binding protection for intellectual property rights; fair and expeditious dispute settlement procedures; and means to improve and expand the flow of goods, services, and investment between the United States and Mexico.

The Presidents reaffirmed their commitment to the multilateral trading system and the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade. They agreed that a successful conclusion of the Uruguay Round of multilateral trade negotiations by December is their highest priority, since this would yield the greatest benefit to both countries. They pledged to work toward that end. They also concluded that bilateral efforts to expand trade and investment opportunities can and should complement the trade liberalization achieved in the Uruguay Round.

The Presidents agreed that they would stay in close personal touch on the issue and review progress during President Bush's visit to Mexico in December 1990."

The private sector, Congress, and U.S. governmental agencies will have opportunities in upcoming months to voice their views on this proposed free trade agreement. The United States Trade Representative plans to use these consultations to fully discuss the many issues involved before embarking on negotiations for a free trade agreement with Mexico.

To inform readers of what the current trade situation in horticulture between the United States and Mexico is, the following report has been prepared.

U.S. Horticultural Exports to Mexico

U.S. horticultural exports to Mexico surpassed $116 million in 1989, an increase of 87 percent from 1988 (see following table). Fresh deciduous fruits were the big winners, with exports tripling to over $22 million. Pears, apples, and peaches accounted for more than half of those exports ($18.5 million). Dried vegetables doubled to $7.2 million and hop exports increased 80 percent to $4.5 million. The value of tree nuts exported to Mexico dropped from $9.7 million to $8.6 million, a decrease of 11.5 percent.

The growth in exports to Mexico is the result of many factors. The recent Mexican trade liberalization, in effect for a few years now, has generally lowered tariffs and eliminated some import licensing. Also, U.S. exports have increased due to the improvement of the Mexican economy. This is due in some part to the economic stabilization plan.

U.S. HORTICULTURAL EXPORTS TO MEXICO: 1988-89
(MILLION DOLLARS)

Commodity	1988	1989
Fresh Deciduous Fruit	6.9	22.4
Hops	14.7	14.3
Prepared Vegetables	3.4	11.6
Tree Nuts	9.7	8.6
Dried Vegetables	3.5	7.2
Fresh Vegetables	4.1	6.8
Nursery Prods/Cut Flowers	2.6	5.1
Dried Fruit	3.2	4.0
Canned Fruit	1.1	2.9
Potatoes	0.8	2.3
Frozen Vegetables	0.4	2.1
Juices	0.8	2.1
Total	62.7	117.0

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census
Note: Values have been rounded off to nearest $100,000. Totals include categories not listed in table.
Due to the introduction in 1989 of the Harmonized System, not all commodities have accurate comparable figures for prior to 1989.

U.S. Imports of Mexican Horticultural Products

The United States imported a total of $1.25 billion worth of horticultural products from Mexico during 1989, an increase of 18 percent over 1988. As shown in the following, the value of many imports, including melons, most vegetable categories, and some fruit categories, increased in 1989. For example, imports of the fresh fruit category containing products such as bananas, strawberries, and mangoes increased over 26 percent over 1988 to reach almost $72 million. Imports of Mexican canned fruit increased 11 percent and melons, more than half of them cantaloupes, increased over 52 percent in 1989. On the other hand, imports of some categories, such as citrus, deciduous fruit, frozen fruit juices and dried vegetables, declined in value between 9 and 31 percent.

Fresh vegetables: Accounting for 47 percent of all horticultural products imported from Mexico into the United States during 1989, this category increased 35 percent in value to $586 million. Fresh tomatoes, the most important fresh vegetable from Mexico, provided 38 percent of the total value of fresh vegetables from Mexico and increased 46.5 percent in value in 1989. Cucumbers, comprising 15 percent of total fresh vegetable imports, increased 105 percent in value from 1988. Together, the value of pepper and chili imports accounted for 15 percent of total fresh vegetable imported from Mexico and increased 60.5 percent in 1989. Squash, 6.1 percent of total fresh vegetable imports, reached $35.5 million in 1989.

In 1989, imports of onions decreased in value by 19 percent over the previous year, but still comprised almost 10 percent ($58 million) of fresh vegetables imported from Mexico. As a group, 1989 imports of asparagus, broccoli, cauliflower and okra decreased 9.5 percent in value from 1988 levels. Still, this group was 4 percent of fresh vegetable imports from Mexico with a value of $23 million in 1989.

Frozen Vegetables: Frozen vegetable imports surpassed $90 million in 1989, a 60 percent increase over 1988. Imports of frozen broccoli, the most important frozen vegetable, increased by over 60 percent in value to $64 million. Frozen cauliflower imports increased by 30 percent to $17.5 million.

Prepared vegetables: Imports from Mexico were up 21 percent in 1989. Prepared and preserved tomato products such as paste and sauce comprised 34 percent of the $49.4 million total, up by 44 percent in value over 1988.

Other Products: Nursery products and cut flower imports from Mexico grew 77 percent to $14.3 million. However, imports of beer and ale from Mexico dropped 17.5 percent in value to $144.4 million. Tree nuts, with pecans comprising 93 percent of the total, decreased 11 percent to $10 million.

U.S. HORTICULTURAL IMPORTS FROM MEXICO: 1988-89
(MILLION DOLLARS)

Commodity	1988	1989
Fresh Vegetables	435.3	586.4
Ales and Beers	175.1	144.4
Melons	60.9	93.1
Frozen Vegetables	56.5	90.3
Other Fresh Fruit	57.2	72.0
Juices	78.4	62.5
Prepared Vegetables	40.7	49.4
Fresh Deciduous Fruit	45.1	31.8
Canned Fruit	16.8	18.7
Nursery Prods/Cut Flowers	8.1	14.3
Frozen Fruit	14.0	12.8
Dried Vegetables	11.2	9.9
Citrus	10.1	8.6
Dried Fruit	5.3	5.3
Total	1,053.7	1,245.6

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census. Note: Values have been rounded off to nearest $100,000. Totals include categories not listed in table.

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U.S. EXPORTS OF SELECTED COMMODITIES BY DESTINATION
MARKETING YEAR BEGINNING AS INDICATED
APR 90

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY / COUNTRY REGION		QUANTITY					VALUE (000 DOLLARS)				
		CURR MO LAST YR	CURR MO CURR YR	YR TDT LAST YR	YR TDT CURR YR	LAST YEAR	CURR MO LAST YR	CURR MO CURR YR	YR TDT LAST YR	YR TDT CURR YR	LAST YEAR
FRESH FRUIT											
FR. APPLES(JUL)	MT										
CANADA		5,229	6,372	41,928	49,809	51,541	2,678	4,066	22,137	29,473	27,064
TAIWAN		3,290	7,803	43,777	62,923	46,040	1,755	3,003	22,196	27,352	23,268
HONG KONG		1,321	3,487	23,144	33,959	27,258	664	1,628	11,208	16,363	13,233
EC-12		2,445	1,812	22,326	27,552	24,291	1,198	971	11,282	12,760	12,287
UNITED KINGDOM		1,779	1,534	16,691	21,027	18,300	868	803	8,604	10,152	9,417
SWEDEN		289	80	14,380	8,761	14,466	131	49	5,990	2,852	6,031
OTHER		3,103	5,374	79,533	103,703	85,643	1,678	2,859	41,333	51,837	44,709
Subtotal:———		15,677	24,927	225,090	286,706	249,238	8,102	12,575	114,146	140,636	126,591
FR AVOCADOS(OCT)	MT										
EC-12		229	0	2,722	669	3,491	352	0	3,346	811	4,477
UNITED KINGDOM		196	0	984	347	1,635	317	0	1,230	405	2,209
CANADA		165	217	783	1,369	1,613	247	390	1,200	1,929	2,509
JAPAN		104	160	532	331	1,242	151	371	685	624	1,705
FRANCE		33	0	757	91	768	35	0	920	81	935
NETHERLANDS		0	0	688	103	689	0	0	853	161	855
OTHER		125	6	590	32	866	147	12	831	52	1,164
Subtotal:———		623	384	4,626	2,400	7,213	897	773	6,063	3,415	9,856
FR. PEARS(JUL)	MT										
CANADA		2,306	1,739	23,798	25,476	27,477	1,119	1,336	11,746	14,838	13,539
MEXICO		2,191	3,004	7,784	21,631	11,225	830	1,343	3,120	9,849	4,662
SWEDEN		0	18	10,554	8,233	10,602	0	24	4,461	2,805	4,480
OTHER		411	1,549	10,955	20,124	11,498	209	876	5,559	10,132	5,846
Subtotal:———		4,907	6,310	53,091	75,464	60,802	2,159	3,579	24,886	37,624	28,526
FRESH GRAPES (MAY)	MT										
CANADA		2,387	1,026	72,584	62,497	72,584	2,148	1,102	62,443	58,675	62,443
HONG KONG		12	0	18,055	18,708	18,055	11	0	17,569	16,454	17,569
TAIWAN		16	17	12,806	11,863	12,806	15	7	12,215	11,281	12,215
OTHER		375	313	33,219	35,731	33,219	456	258	38,641	41,847	38,641
Subtotal:———		2,789	1,356	136,664	128,799	136,664	2,629	1,366	130,868	128,257	130,868
FR KIWIFRUIT(OCT)	MT										
CANADA		544	865	2,996	5,117	4,885	669	1,217	3,268	6,018	4,994
TAIWAN		182	428	1,377	2,308	1,407	300	785	2,442	3,998	2,496
FINLAND		0	0	900	30	900	0	0	1,426	30	1,426
EC-12		0	0	679	0	679	0	0	1,009	0	1,009
NETHERLANDS		0	0	585	0	585	0	0	821	0	821
JAPAN		72	118	522	339	522	148	238	954	650	954
OTHER		111	142	1,620	1,105	1,708	214	254	2,159	1,654	2,268
Subtotal:———		909	1,552	8,095	8,899	10,100	1,330	2,493	11,259	12,349	13,148
FR STRAWBRIS(JAN)	MT										
CANADA		2,993	6,971	4,590	12,086	10,401	5,291	9,446	8,208	18,511	18,959
JAPAN		4	0	27	0	3,372	15	3	46	3	13,961
AUSTRALIA		230	0	480	0	1,040	485	0	1,010	0	2,306
EC-12		37	45	114	238	910	77	216	196	790	1,787
OTHER		27	24	131	208	724	59	98	298	549	1,286
Subtotal:———		3,291	7,040	5,341	12,531	16,446	5,927	9,762	9,757	19,853	38,299
FR CHERRIES(MAY)	MT										
JAPAN		0	0	14,383	11,169	14,383	0	0	40,319	40,469	40,319
CANADA		0	18	5,745	7,177	5,745	0	23	6,870	9,492	6,870
EC-12		0	99	2,748	3,985	2,748	0	127	5,383	7,809	5,383
UNITED KINGDOM		0	0	1,988	3,109	1,988	0	0	4,499	6,354	4,499
OTHER		0	0	2,931	4,773	2,931	0	0	5,692	8,194	5,692
Subtotal:———		0	117	25,808	27,104	25,808	0	149	58,265	65,963	58,265
FR ORNG INC TMPL(NOV)	MT										
JAPAN		10,494	19,044	44,015	51,671	118,765	7,245	11,155	30,806	32,681	80,986
HONG KONG		10,629	10,009	49,772	53,133	101,958	5,415	5,275	24,253	27,297	51,432
CANADA		10,829	23,285	58,196	106,090	89,428	6,189	9,771	32,435	50,541	52,451
OTHER		7,282	5,948	34,405	32,092	57,178	3,820	3,126	18,215	17,577	30,584
Subtotal:———		39,235	58,285	186,388	242,986	367,329	22,669	29,327	105,708	128,095	215,454
FR GRPFRT(SEP)	MT										
JAPAN		61,950	14,034	194,681	114,346	259,109	31,209	8,905	98,333	68,961	132,282
EC-12		16,889	7,222	118,078	77,259	139,704	7,206	3,142	52,710	37,641	60,657
FRANCE		9,102	1,930	52,209	35,865	61,176	3,722	1,041	21,768	17,330	25,676
NETHERLANDS		3,890	4,478	32,886	22,162	41,095	1,424	1,712	14,294	10,695	16,682
TAIWAN		7,492	1,377	20,398	4,816	32,214	4,094	652	9,676	2,224	15,794
CANADA		2,620	4,562	20,554	29,669	27,077	1,319	2,688	9,994	16,992	13,841
OTHER		4,277	1,419	14,105	6,511	19,776	2,279	920	7,090	3,679	9,933
Subtotal:———		93,227	28,614	367,815	232,601	477,880	46,107	16,307	177,803	129,497	232,508
FR TANGERINES(NOV)	MT										
CANADA		475	155	6,745	5,610	9,324	279	113	4,045	5,114	6,269
EC-12		497	4	8,975	5,359	8,987	174	12	4,438	2,912	4,456
NETHERLANDS		384	0	4,370	2,382	4,370	120	0	1,949	1,125	1,949
FRANCE		55	0	2,803	1,341	2,803	18	0	1,493	779	1,493
OTHER		370	165	1,658	1,114	1,701	117	87	790	830	828
Subtotal:———		1,342	323	17,378	12,083	20,012	570	212	9,274	8,856	11,553
CANNED FRUIT											
CND PEACH&NECT(JUN)	MT										
JAPAN		1,945	534	8,373	5,250	9,013	1,963	596	8,619	5,571	9,119
TAIWAN		274	98	3,069	1,325	3,154	240	73	2,175	1,019	2,236
CANADA		51	152	1,470	1,045	1,755	52	180	1,341	1,081	1,577
OTHER		140	411	3,266	5,123	3,614	130	365	3,072	4,595	3,412
Subtotal:———		2,411	1,195	16,178	12,743	17,536	2,384	1,214	15,206	12,267	16,344
CND PEARS(JUN)	MT										
JAPAN		32	49	221	412	221	31	72	276	383	276
CANADA		19	20	90	239	96	15	18	69	200	73
PANAMA		69	0	84	124	84	53	0	70	96	70
SAUDI ARABIA		0	0	55	45	71	0	0	52	44	69
EC-12		3	7	63	67	63	4	8	66	63	66
SINGAPORE		14	18	56	82	62	28	8	81	64	87
OTHER		45	63	399	719	434	53	41	410	418	447
Subtotal:———		182	157	969	1,689	1,031	185	146	1,023	1,468	1,087

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CND PNEAPL(JAN)	MT										
CANADA		419	266	1,694	639	5,174	288	169	1,161	477	3,458
EC-12		307	290	1,229	769	2,066	286	222	1,083	581	1,908
GERMANY, FEDERAL		284	69	865	294	1,331	267	68	780	270	1,249
JAPAN		18	152	293	250	864	24	157	308	273	907
OTHER		157	118	482	305	922	148	95	460	268	838
Subtotal:———		901	826	3,698	1,963	9,026	746	643	3,013	1,599	7,111
FRT MIXTURES(JUN)	[illegible]										
JAPAN		523	379	6,682	2,926	7,201	646	432	7,404	3,175	8,047
CANADA		353	488	4,564	3,339	4,758	335	646	4,465	3,758	4,659
PHILIPPINES		2	140	1,485	2,700	1,597	3	194	1,334	2,550	1,435
HONG KONG		62	25	1,282	808	1,433	61	31	1,362	638	1,515
SINGAPORE		50	117	1,370	1,613	1,403	53	143	1,375	1,657	1,411
OTHER		750	467	6,231	5,651	6,582	568	643	6,620	6,062	7,024
Subtotal:———		1,73[illegible]	1,615	21,615	17,037	22,973	1,[illegible]66	2,09[illegible]	22,5[illegible]1	17,840	24,091
DRIED FRUIT											
DRD RAISINS(AUG)	MT										
EC-12		3,725	4,132	32,181	34,551	42,313	4,957	5,981	47,157	51,433	61,578
JAPAN		2,095	1,116	18,411	16,125	22,565	3,485	1,804	27,926	25,148	34,636
UNITED KINGDOM		1,563	1,688	15,738	16,392	21,005	2,017	2,494	22,021	24,134	29,488
GERMANY, FEDERAL		950	1,200	6,459	7,529	8,628	1,312	1,611	9,695	10,992	12,737
DENMARK		676	447	4,657	4,085	5,780	833	722	7,043	6,414	8,693
SWEDEN		604	404	4,503	4,747	5,401	982	619	7,474	8,033	8,932
OTHER		[illegible],160	2,681	[illegible]1,118	22,782	26,018	3,961	4,578	38,573	40,337	47,738
Subtotal:———		8,5[illegible]4	8,333	76,212	78,205	96,296	13,3[illegible]5	12,983	121,131	124,950	152,8[illegible]3
DRD PRUNES(AUG)	MT										
EC-12		1,923	3,053	23,733	31,740	28,807	3,301	[illegible],766	38,247	52,232	47,264
JAPAN		1,018	569	7,586	7,997	9,898	1,430	562	10,527	11,027	14,023
ITALY		304	1,040	7,484	10,150	8,728	568	2,011	11,505	17,569	13,832
GERMANY, FED[illegible]RAL		888	809	6,194	7,322	8,118	1,553	1,176	10,883	12,530	14,563
CANADA		367	543	3,144	3,327	3,883	605	981	5,073	5,858	6,212
OTHER		1,243	864	12,084	13,257	14,743	1,987	1,416	19,889	20,854	24,461
Subtotal:———		4,552	5,02[illegible]	46,546	56,321	57,331	7,323	7,725	73,736	[illegible]9,971	91,960
FRUIT JUICES(SSE)											
ORANGE JU CNC (DEC)	KL										
CANADA		4,053	13,043	22,432	55,850	63,480	2,065	5,455	11,956	25,086	33,330
EC-12		2,492	3,165	10,561	17,382	40,756	1,188	1,521	4,311	10,277	19,081
KOREA, REPUBLIC		2,303	0	2,614	9,810	37,609	971	0	1,110	4,346	16,394
JAPAN		1,978	1,772	5,619	5,187	15,029	1,179	772	3,009	2,164	7,298
TAIWAN		767	1,440	3,864	3,876	11,303	309	580	1,664	1,591	4,707
OTHER		2,974	5,533	19,570	20,044	47,819	1,441	2,689	9,366	9,569	22,366
Subtotal:———		14,568	24,952	[illegible]4,660	112,150	215,997	7,152	11,017	31,415	53,033	103,176
ORNG JU NTCNC(DEC)	KL										
JAPAN		999	1,569	5,322	4,169	27,018	784	1,411	2,843	3,410	11,193
EC-12		1,205	130	6,577	2,412	12,327	851	100	5,225	1,629	9,683
FRANC[illegible]		1,039	80	5,098	2,203	10,403	800	58	4,028	1,433	8,310
CANADA		289	251	1,417	1,197	4,585	158	357	614	1,740	2,289
OTHER		2,936	1,086	8,425	4,742	18,439	1,648	849	4,236	3,589	8,951
Subtotal:———		5,429	3,037	21,741	12,520	62,36[illegible]	3,441	2,716	12,918	10,367	32,116
GRPFRT JU CNC (DEC)	KL										
JAPAN		3,529	3,055	11,521	8,512	24,116	2,361	2,161	7,816	6,088	16,262
CANADA		1,286	331	3,635	3,444	9,815	543	238	1,892	2,406	5,073
EC-12		647	105	3,050	1,358	5,897	361	67	1,538	846	3,332
NETHERLANDS		167	35	980	730	2,543	120	21	704	457	1,786
OTHER		647	287	2,015	1,487	6,590	366	197	1,039	858	3,700
Subtotal:———		6,10[illegible]	3,778	20,2[illegible]2	14,[illegible]00	[illegible],[illegible]17	3,631	2,663	12,2[illegible]5	10,197	2[illegible],3[illegible]6
FRESH VEGETABLES											
FR ASPARAGUS(OCT)	MT										
JAPAN		1,75[illegible]	1,968	5,725	4,930	6,082	5,209	7,007	18,675	19,830	19,708
CANADA		1,81[illegible]	2,257	2,302	4,450	4,900	3,689	3,613	4,765	7,797	10,415
EC-12		27[illegible]	322	873	855	1,452	566	772	2,156	2,475	3,302
SWITZERLAND		47[illegible]	598	968	1,469	1,241	843	1,500	2,130	4,132	2,571
OTHER		8[illegible]	42	163	78	383	186	140	385	275	980
Subtotal:———		4,405	5,187	10,03[illegible]	11,7[illegible]2	14,059	10,493	13,032	2[illegible],112	34,50[illegible]	3[illegible],976
FR ONIONS(OCT)	MT										
CANADA		1,904	5,278	25,600	29,578	42,808	502	2,499	6,783	12,221	11,439
JAPAN		18	3	27,574	28,763	31,860	21	3	7,255	6,623	8,278
TAIWAN		0	0	3,363	3,195	4,631	0	0	978	815	1,356
OTHER		1,034	209	8,783	10,431	12,548	276	116	2,852	2,804	4,087
Subtotal:———		2,955	5,490	65,31[illegible]	71,967	91,84[illegible]	799	2,617	17,86[illegible]	22,462	25,16[illegible]
CANNED VEGETABLES											
CND SWT CORN(AUG)	MT										
JAPAN		3,133	4,648	34,663	30,642	41,035	2,860	3,600	30,682	26,424	36,141
EC-12		2,080	4,073	21,649	33,208	25,371	1,464	3,013	16,260	25,508	18,857
GERMANY, FEDERAL		258	1,352	10,289	13,792	10,855	176	1,036	7,836	11,054	8,223
TAIWAN		674	1,237	6,887	10,178	9,267	567	727	5,463	7,749	7,334
UNITED KINGDOM		1,064	1,717	6,733	9,353	8,889	738	1,187	4,812	6,509	6,311
OTHER		1,290	2,364	14,830	21,567	19,404	1,115	1,807	11,028	15,439	14,393
Subtotal:———		7,177	12,323	78,029	95,594	95,077	6,005	9,147	63,433	75,121	76,726
CND TOM PAS(JUL)	MT										
CANADA		222	1,585	6,392	11,726	6,789	201	1,444	5,359	11,675	5,701
JAPAN		25	19	1,214	2,733	1,225	23	15	1,114	3,258	1,123
KOREA, REPUBLIC		0	162	541	1,178	541	0	183	530	1,531	530
OTHER		34	207	1,115	3,591	1,488	44	211	1,363	3,503	1,752
Subtotal:———		281	1,973	9,261	19,228	10,042	267	1,852	8,365	19,966	9,107

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CND TOM SAUCE(JUL)	MT										
EC-12		375	953	5,462	9,885	8,094	440	950	5,853	7,968	8,164
UNITED KINGDOM		329	463	5,347	2,862	6,920	364	450	5,733	2,829	7,257
CANADA		187	315	2,191	4,146	3,273	119	252	1,327	2,722	1,966
JAPAN		354	334	1,763	1,860	2,043	303	305	1,455	1,745	1,686
MEXICO		343	86	1,439	2,401	1,907	228	63	945	1,628	1,256
NETHERLANDS		16	74	16	389	1,027	57	44	57	293	802
OTHER		426	408	1,983	3,206	2,424	355	432	1,641	3,409	2,106
Subtotal:———		1,685	2,095	12,837	21,498	17,740	1,445	2,002	11,221	17,472	15,178
FRZN VEGETABLES											
FZN SWT CORN(JUL)	MT										
JAPAN		3,128	3,115	29,050	28,071	33,762	2,396	2,378	23,845	23,524	27,616
EC-12		475	1,048	5,599	6,107	6,742	308	740	3,277	4,148	4,156
AUSTRALIA		389	133	4,468	4,490	5,152	235	121	2,716	3,102	3,085
UNITED KINGDOM		357	597	4,318	3,111	5,073	238	469	2,532	2,359	3,195
OTHER		1,944	520	6,039	7,699	7,258	557	461	3,424	5,865	4,274
Subtotal:———		5,936	4,816	45,156	46,368	52,913	3,497	3,701	33,262	36,639	39,131
FZN F FRY(JUL)	MT										
JAPAN		12,811	9,301	89,228	84,603	105,442	9,132	6,542	62,510	59,938	73,922
HONG KONG		850	977	7,746	9,605	9,820	322	649	3,222	4,490	4,117
OTHER		1,975	6,586	17,859	37,581	22,516	1,224	4,689	12,020	25,068	14,672
Subtotal:———		15,637	16,864	114,833	131,789	137,778	10,677	11,880	77,752	89,495	92,711
TREE NUTS											
ALMONDS UNSH(JUL)	MT										
INDIA		0	15	5,482	1,930	5,816	0	28	10,933	4,733	11,657
EC-12		171	49	3,074	618	3,194	529	103	5,818	998	6,155
JAPAN		198	15	1,733	2,180	2,322	576	58	4,938	6,585	6,614
NETHERLANDS		0	20	1,190	20	1,212	0	57	1,942	57	2,022
GERMANY, FEDERAL		131	0	840	200	879	479	0	2,260	308	2,398
OTHER		96	123	2,656	2,706	2,917	273	361	6,165	7,312	6,765
Subtotal:———		464	203	12,944	7,433	14,248	1,378	550	27,855	19,628	31,192
ALMND SH/PREP(JUL)	MT										
EC-12		6,213	7,729	90,691	65,862	99,161	20,490	23,332	276,541	212,003	304,850
GERMANY, FEDERAL		3,329	3,583	46,141	32,553	49,611	11,021	10,778	139,701	104,125	151,289
JAPAN		1,591	2,239	18,598	21,764	22,266	5,012	8,271	59,867	73,532	71,075
UNITED KINGDOM		1,150	832	11,475	8,989	13,082	3,940	2,702	36,135	30,773	41,336
UNION OF SOVIET		0	0	12,999	7,199	12,999	0	0	40,650	17,471	40,650
FRANCE		438	1,060	10,594	9,337	12,040	1,495	3,035	32,870	28,458	37,527
OTHER		2,297	2,533	32,134	38,113	37,025	6,874	8,672	101,302	126,163	116,039
Subtotal:———		10,101	12,501	154,422	132,937	171,452	32,376	40,275	478,359	429,170	532,615
WALNUTS SH(AUG)	MT										
EC-12		174	140	3,124	3,574	3,869	470	580	7,708	9,416	9,589
JAPAN		431	178	2,024	2,489	2,976	544	566	4,539	5,148	6,261
CANADA		102	108	995	1,236	1,269	219	363	1,772	2,435	2,311
GERMANY, FEDERAL		71	4	1,092	889	1,229	97	17	1,742	2,064	1,973
SPAIN		56	96	681	1,540	1,167	214	397	2,374	4,189	3,698
AUSTRALIA		130	87	817	818	1,009	431	318	2,862	2,573	3,508
OTHER		123	148	2,744	2,958	3,040	385	512	7,482	8,284	8,475
Subtotal:———		959	661	9,703	11,076	12,162	2,049	2,339	24,363	27,857	30,144
WALNUTS UNSH(AUG)	MT										
EC-12		39	165	39,320	46,340	39,545	55	260	61,376	76,157	61,709
GERMANY, FEDERAL		0	0	13,692	16,389	13,692	0	0	21,390	26,636	21,390
SPAIN		19	0	12,801	14,607	12,868	28	0	19,886	24,538	19,987
ITALY		0	68	6,155	7,179	6,155	0	110	9,519	12,151	9,519
NETHERLANDS		0	0	2,566	2,762	2,624	0	0	4,291	4,437	4,380
OTHER		191	238	6,227	5,285	6,663	353	515	11,273	10,126	12,049
Subtotal:———		230	403	45,547	51,625	46,208	408	775	72,648	86,284	73,758
HOPS&PRODUCTS											
HOP PELTS(SEP)	MT										
CANADA		58	39	1,779	1,172	2,912	423	206	6,841	7,042	10,579
BRAZIL		40	93	517	1,844	2,333	137	675	1,800	5,595	7,581
EC-12		0	496	62	1,032	1,067	0	1,831	292	3,633	2,562
GERMANY, FEDERAL		0	494	0	964	987	0	1,814	0	3,392	2,188
MEXICO		0	0	33	0	490	0	0	254	0	3,105
OTHER		13	[illegible]2	549	2,3[illegible]8	957	37	465	2,670	12,723	4,085
Subtotal:———		111	710	2,940	6,436	7,759	597	3,178	11,857	28,993	27,911
HOP EXTRACT(SEP)	MT										
EC-12		58	86	508	532	810	519	883	5,616	5,185	7,810
MEXICO		55	117	678	611	705	2,617	1,808	13,281	7,693	13,822
CANADA		19	5	404	235	525	176	32	3,064	1,657	3,880
BRAZIL		10	30	216	135	460	78	121	1,062	897	3,250
COLOMBIA		30	0	231	251	313	480	0	1,833	2,819	3,602
NETHERLANDS		37	21	206	140	292	355	157	1,749	1,112	2,464
OTHER		51	128	447	929	847	742	1,676	5,568	8,063	10,580
Subtotal:———		224	367	2,484	2,693	3,662	4,612	4,520	30,425	26,313	42,945
HOPS,NSPF(SEP)	MT										
EC-12		3	362	558	831	658	24	1,326	2,385	3,504	2,772
GERMANY, FEDERAL		0	362	371	613	471	0	1,326	1,749	2,187	2,136
CANADA		0	0	248	163	264	0	0	828	897	937
UNITED KINGDOM		0	0	162	86	162	0	0	532	371	532
COLOMBIA		0	0	154	0	154	0	0	856	0	856
BRAZIL		0	0	52	56	111	0	0	187	218	370
OTHER		0	24	82	50	87	0	170	446	286	460
Subtotal:———		3	386	1,094	1,100	1,273	24	1,496	4,701	4,905	5,394
WINE											
GRP WINE(JAN)	KL										
EC-12		1,617	2,641	4,977	6,665	20,547	2,244	3,976	7,107	9,785	28,799
CANADA		1,917	1,631	5,813	7,463	19,590	1,644	1,367	4,727	6,650	17,805
JAPAN		1,485	919	4,755	4,103	15,252	2,302	1,472	6,771	6,712	22,324
UNITED KINGDOM		455	1,737	2,124	4,018	11,860	765	2,657	3,240	5,897	17,145
OTHER		1,983	1,672	5,998	6,042	17,274	3,030	1,889	8,156	8,318	23,739
Subtotal:———		7,003	6,862	21,541	24,274	72,663	9,220	8,704	26,761	31,465	92,666

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FR FRT & NLNS											
FR APPLES(JUL)	MT										
CANADA		4,101	1,950	44,871	37,704	51,429	1,441	948	15,719	11,779	17,489
NEW ZEALAND		3,264	5,801	8,305	13,100	21,383	2,951	4,633	6,664	8,429	16,847
CHILE		10,536	9,402	15,697	19,279	27,219	3,327	3,038	4,922	6,197	8,503
OTHER		1,766	558	7,449	7,713	16,105	613	236	3,344	3,491	6,253
Subtotal:		19,667	17,711	76,322	77,795	116,135	8,332	8,855	30,649	29,896	49,091
FR BANANA(JAN)	MT										
ECUADOR		67,487	96,830	300,869	396,138	849,642	15,454	25,200	73,419	104,305	204,717
COSTA RICA		48,300	54,221	202,578	169,783	637,105	13,595	16,814	60,676	52,322	192,045
HONDURAS		38,761	50,034	172,149	193,550	551,704	12,410	15,632	56,829	60,161	172,145
OTHER		60,178	70,180	267,590	253,162	881,614	16,753	20,237	74,355	73,318	245,606
Subtotal:		214,726	271,265	943,186	1,012,632	2,920,066	58,211	77,883	265,279	290,105	814,513
FR STRAWBRIS(JAN)	MT										
MEXICO		2,993	3,706	10,116	9,148	13,916	2,654	3,783	11,129	11,164	13,562
OTHER		10	6	1,228	578	2,460	16	6	1,436	733	4,341
Subtotal:		3,003	3,713	11,344	9,726	16,375	2,670	3,789	12,565	11,898	17,903
FRESH GRAPES (MAY)	MT										
CHILE		77,122	60,679	234,892	318,466	250,406	55,444	44,007	173,746	239,921	187,144
OTHER		51	0	8,236	11,058	27,159	41	0	7,872	10,646	30,201
Subtotal:		77,173	60,679	243,128	329,524	277,565	55,485	44,007	181,618	250,567	217,345
FR ORANGES(NOV)	MT										
EC-12		437	0	1,675	55	1,675	759	0	1,888	45	1,899
DOMINICAN REPUBL		558	523	1,364	1,306	3,714	198	158	415	404	1,247
ITALY		437	0	594	54	594	759	0	1,011	40	1,011
SPAIN		0	0	1,081	0	1,081	0	0	878	0	878
OTHER		152	1,330	1,307	7,364	2,411	63	1,225	405	3,471	924
Subtotal:		1,147	1,853	4,346	8,725	7,800	1,020	1,382	2,708	3,919	4,070
FR MANGO(JAN)	MT										
MEXICO		3,489	5,262	4,006	7,174	43,923	3,640	5,898	4,124	7,843	37,042
OTHER		2,004	1,781	4,178	3,539	8,350	1,316	1,192	2,534	2,400	5,178
Subtotal:		5,493	7,043	8,185	10,713	52,273	4,957	7,090	6,658	10,243	42,220
FR CANTLPE(MAY)	MT										
MEXICO		47,600	41,193	128,537	132,236	128,537	16,222	15,189	44,690	48,040	44,690
OTHER		15,208	18,615	68,496	95,283	68,496	4,224	5,006	18,203	24,173	18,203
Subtotal:		62,808	59,808	197,033	227,518	197,033	20,446	20,195	62,893	72,213	62,893
FR MELON,OT(MAY)	MT										
MEXICO		11,385	10,351	53,999	56,978	53,999	2,669	3,118	14,764	17,596	14,764
COSTA RICA		4,702	3,652	9,081	8,791	9,081	2,499	1,783	4,446	3,380	4,446
OTHER		6,508	6,935	34,259	31,377	34,259	1,705	1,943	9,841	8,821	9,841
Subtotal:		22,595	20,938	97,338	97,146	97,338	6,873	6,844	29,051	29,797	29,051
FR PEARS(JUL)	MT										
JAPAN		0	0	3,179	2,460	3,179	0	0	7,569	5,819	7,569
CHILE		4,229	1,582	18,791	22,793	20,552	1,387	558	6,184	8,278	6,765
ARGENTINA		2,603	790	6,302	7,148	12,332	913	381	2,516	3,246	4,993
OTHER		867	838	2,339	2,516	4,023	1,092	1,250	3,668	3,696	5,624
Subtotal:		7,698	3,210	30,611	34,917	40,085	3,392	2,189	19,936	21,039	24,950
FR PINAPLE(JAN)	MT										
COSTA RICA		3,774	6,414	19,809	16,712	53,924	1,983	3,828	10,571	9,821	29,602
OTHER		2,705	6,485	13,543	20,004	44,523	746	1,683	3,843	5,418	11,699
Subtotal:		6,479	12,899	33,351	36,716	98,448	2,729	5,512	14,413	15,239	41,300
FR RASPBRY(JAN)	MT										
CANADA		0	0	0	0	7,978	0	0	0	0	12,026
CHILE		188	164	865	1,057	1,161	509	438	2,645	2,633	3,407
OTHER		1	0	11	1	34	5	0	55	7	94
Subtotal:		189	164	876	1,059	9,174	515	438	2,701	2,639	15,527
CANNED FRUIT											
CND MANDRN(JAN)	MT										
EC-12		309	350	2,726	1,364	7,241	283	298	2,485	1,115	6,260
SPAIN		309	350	2,726	1,364	7,222	283	298	2,485	1,115	6,239
KOREA, REPUBLIC		300	75	1,302	319	2,751	369	102	1,575	421	3,389
CHINA (MAINLAND)		183	342	931	1,288	3,436	143	291	703	1,092	2,760
OTHER		255	74	615	163	1,074	324	94	727	229	1,186
Subtotal:		1,047	841	5,574	3,134	14,501	1,119	784	5,492	2,857	13,595
CND BLK OLV(NOV)	MT										
EC-12		37	22	453	224	720	62	35	730	415	1,241
GREECE		12	13	266	91	398	19	19	420	146	617
SPAIN		21	2	153	88	238	31	3	236	146	388
OTHER		2	3	11	8	40	4	6	22	29	99
Subtotal:		39	24	463	232	760	66	41	752	444	1,340
CND GRN OLV(NOV)	MT										
EC-12		0	0	1,770	0	1,770	0	0	2,496	0	2,496
SPAIN		0	0	1,636	0	1,636	0	0	2,250	0	2,250
OTHER		0	0	370	0	370	0	0	135	0	135
Subtotal:		0	0	2,140	0	2,140	0	0	2,632	0	2,632
CND PEACH(JUN)	MT										
EC-12		2,472	1,830	31,456	24,828	32,466	1,357	1,103	20,471	15,787	21,091
GREECE		2,423	1,791	25,789	20,527	26,610	1,323	1,067	16,501	12,598	16,992
CHILE		1,229	415	7,274	8,413	9,413	855	266	5,032	5,887	6,540
OTHER		411	1,617	2,318	5,052	3,180	149	948	1,074	2,871	1,562
Subtotal:		4,112	3,862	41,048	38,293	45,060	2,361	2,316	26,577	24,545	29,193
CND PINAPLE(JAN)	MT										
THAILAND		12,736	0	49,016	0	77,635	7,293	0	28,315	0	44,256
PHILIPPINES		3,897	0	34,616	0	54,953	2,261	0	20,791	0	33,089
OTHER		2,592	0	14,681	0	22,089	1,350	0	9,378	0	13,467
Subtotal:		19,225	0	98,313	0	154,676	10,904	0	58,484	0	90,812
DRIED FRUIT											
DRD APRCT(JUL)	MT										
TURKEY		76	817	4,915	6,417	5,178	175	1,346	10,379	11,389	10,988
NEW ZEALAND		70	18	1,230	515	1,317	211	28	2,694	1,064	2,904
OTHER		17	66	516	444	592	11	301	1,428	1,809	1,766
Subtotal:		163	900	6,660	7,376	7,086	397	1,675	14,500	14,262	15,658
DATES(SEP)	MT										
PAKISTAN		1,366	471	4,315	4,603	6,308	905	498	3,845	4,091	5,412
CHINA (MAINLAND)		200	51	1,137	785	2,159	220	71	1,173	879	2,226
OTHER		219	139	1,028	2,616	1,355	200	198	1,236	2,933	1,641
Subtotal:		1,786	662	6,481	8,004	9,822	1,325	767	6,254	7,903	9,279

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DRD FIG(SEP)	MT										
EC-12		20	0	2,257	2,300	2,257	18	0	3,691	3,882	3,691
GREECE		0	0	2,114	2,217	2,114	0	0	3,444	3,696	3,444
OTHER		14	3	762	460	785	13	6	1,130	726	1,160
Subtotal:		34	2	3,019	2,760	3,042	31	6	4,822	4,608	4,852
DRD RAISIN(AUG)	MT										
MEXICO		210	109	4,497	4,494	4,913	180	120	4,069	4,175	4,545
CHILE		108	88	2,173	2,254	3,315	88	80	1,905	1,943	2,909
OTHER		138	177	1,182	2,177	1,645	146	189	1,235	2,380	1,734
Subtotal:		455	374	7,852	8,925	9,872	414	389	7,210	8,498	9,188
FRUIT JUICE(SSE)											
APPLE JUIC(JUL)	KL										
EC-12		32,285	27,664	355,940	180,059	416,949	7,259	5,466	80,561	38,129	93,927
GERMANY, FEDERAL		16,493	21,453	220,383	128,551	252,886	4,104	4,350	48,371	27,205	55,361
ARGENTINA		4,639	12,869	157,670	167,803	231,170	944	2,253	30,760	30,083	44,007
OTHER		19,358	22,794	256,468	220,296	314,196	4,526	4,498	54,256	48,494	65,761
Subtotal:		56,283	63,327	770,077	568,158	962,315	12,729	12,217	165,577	116,706	203,695
FCOJ(DEC)	KL										
BRAZIL		63,505	64,066	418,861	708,455	875,955	17,669	26,195	141,939	227,586	267,709
OTHER		27,877	30,358	70,519	126,066	175,229	8,733	12,685	22,624	48,733	59,240
Subtotal:		91,382	94,424	489,380	834,521	1,051,185	26,402	38,880	164,563	276,319	326,949
GRAPE JU(JAN)	KL										
ARGENTINA		2,854	3,501	16,240	17,515	48,624	550	649	3,346	3,333	9,767
BRAZIL		1,094	938	3,902	3,531	13,228	329	305	1,194	1,134	4,343
OTHER		27	771	1,097	3,044	4,878	61	235	482	1,008	2,285
Subtotal:		3,975	5,210	21,239	24,089	66,730	940	1,190	5,022	5,474	16,394
PNEAPL JUCN(JAN)	KL										
PHILIPPINES		4,396	3,774	32,377	22,115	112,043	721	751	5,777	3,902	20,019
THAILAND		9,855	13,732	29,950	57,762	109,823	1,703	2,429	5,331	10,010	18,338
OTHER		915	2,418	4,707	9,759	18,607	163	380	876	1,727	3,432
Subtotal:		15,165	19,923	67,034	89,637	240,473	2,587	3,559	11,983	15,639	41,789
PNEAPL JUNC(JAN)	KL										
PHILIPPINES		737	839	7,375	5,896	30,219	217	247	2,168	1,734	8,885
JAPAN		0	943	1,366	1,763	4,700	0	481	628	878	2,386
OTHER		1,477	70	2,498	805	4,716	455	48	806	320	1,744
Subtotal:		2,214	1,851	11,239	8,464	39,635	672	775	3,601	2,932	13,016
FROZEN FRUIT											
FZN STRBRY(DEC)	MT										
MEXICO		3,221	185	10,720	673	17,018	2,077	156	6,447	499	10,469
OTHER		459	878	1,590	2,132	2,796	235	673	1,139	1,548	2,157
Subtotal:		3,681	1,062	12,310	2,805	19,814	2,313	829	7,587	2,047	12,627
FRESH VEGETABLES											
FR BEANS(OCT)	MT										
MEXICO		1,635	666	11,079	11,682	11,537	1,687	505	10,833	15,613	11,421
OTHER		48	26	1,222	203	2,167	38	22	980	240	1,614
Subtotal:		1,682	692	12,301	11,885	13,704	1,724	527	11,812	15,853	13,034
FR CARROT(OCT)	MT										
CANADA		471	1,185	25,308	37,932	35,241	117	269	5,545	7,240	7,705
MEXICO		3,332	3,187	11,840	7,593	16,946	799	659	2,449	1,618	3,581
OTHER		56	42	1,092	392	1,211	52	43	921	335	1,019
Subtotal:		3,[illegible]59	4,414	38,241	45,917	53,398	969	971	8,915	9,192	12,305
FR CABBAGE(OCT)	MT										
CANADA		323	190	8,879	17,409	16,571	58	70	1,656	4,960	3,564
OTHER		143	360	937	21,324	3,944	41	69	209	2,764	876
Subtotal:		466	551	9,816	38,734	20,515	99	140	1,865	7,724	4,441
FR CELERY(OCT)	MT										
MEXICO		2,613	2,474	10,098	13,947	12,578	356	581	2,488	3,384	3,378
CANADA		0	0	1,087	668	5,211	0	0	322	168	1,481
OTHER		157	97	858	673	1,306	28	37	175	152	256
Subtotal:		2,770	2,571	12,043	15,287	19,095	385	618	2,985	3,704	5,115
FR CUCMBR(OCT	MT										
MEXICO		15,866	10,897	172,532	164,219	181,253	7,175	4,605	70,587	66,430	74,086
OTHER		1,480	1,407	8,166	9,847	11,292	634	449	2,626	2,723	5,425
Subtotal:		17,346	12,304	180,698	174,065	192,545	7,809	5,054	73,213	69,153	79,511
FR CAULFLWR(OCT)	MT										
MEXICO		574	550	4,449	8,735	5,065	104	98	969	2,045	1,115
CANADA		0	0	240	452	1,369	0	0	72	150	436
OTHER		7	0	132	14	188	6	0	95	12	122
Subtotal:		581	550	4,821	9,201	6,621	110	98	1,136	2,208	1,673
FR GARLIC(OCT)	MT										
MEXICO		1,294	1,159	1,912	1,597	8,216	761	834	1,187	1,229	5,497
ARGENTINA		281	538	2,716	3,673	2,716	254	1,043	2,751	5,466	2,751
OTHER		144	260	995	4,371	2,839	258	400	1,408	4,482	3,577
Subtotal:		1,719	1,957	5,623	9,641	13,771	1,274	2,277	5,346	11,178	11,825
FR ONION(OCT)	MT										
MEXICO		22,313	33,181	109,647	118,067	139,857	6,613	8,426	44,478	44,309	59,929
OTHER		2,397	4,030	10,326	20,942	17,860	590	1,214	3,322	6,761	6,366
Subtotal:		24,710	37,211	119,973	139,009	157,717	7,203	9,641	47,801	51,069	66,295
FR PEPPERS(OCT)	MT										
MEXICO		12,572	9,134	99,824	104,458	123,744	9,196	10,573	63,580	120,913	81,779
EC-12		402	405	1,486	1,920	6,653	1,448	1,501	4,170	6,804	17,958
NETHERLANDS		392	401	1,432	1,888	6,509	1,432	1,486	4,071	6,684	17,631
OTHER		133	164	1,343	1,243	2,684	313	403	1,169	1,674	3,285
Subtotal:		13,108	9,704	102,653	107,621	133,080	10,957	12,477	68,919	129,392	103,022
FR SEED POT(OCT)	MT										
CANADA		22,307	24,164	64,323	86,988	70,382	4,175	5,205	11,797	18,616	12,940
OTHER		0	0	84	20	139	0	0	21	23	34
Subtotal:		22,307	24,164	64,407	87,008	70,521	4,175	5,205	11,818	18,639	12,974
FR TBL POT(OCT)	MT										
CANADA		26,987	22,671	153,473	153,934	213,997	7,762	6,487	35,369	36,637	48,808
OTHER		0	39	109	189	861	0	21	25	59	177
Subtotal:		26,987	22,709	153,582	154,123	214,858	7,762	6,508	35,395	36,696	48,985
FR TOMATO(OCT)	MT										
MEXICO		41,727	17,521	252,251	309,293	358,265	30,075	9,599	152,410	357,254	204,708
OTHER		1,103	664	3,080	5,418	7,586	915	575	2,096	3,519	7,443
Subtotal:		42,831	18,185	255,331	314,711	365,851	30,990	10,175	154,506	360,773	212,151

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COUNTRY REGION		CURR MO LAST YR	CURR MO CURR YR	YR TDT LAST YR	YR TDT CURR YR	LAST YEAR	CURR MO LAST YR	CURR MO CURR YR	YR TDT LAST YR	YR TDT CURR YR	LAST YEAR
FR ASPARG(OCT)	MT										
MEXICO		515	403	8,973	12,000	12,059	378	362	10,963	18,621	13,709
OTHER		0	0	2,355	3,213	2,775	1	3	3,716	4,712	4,298
Subtotal:———		515	403	11,327	15,212	14,834	380	365	14,678	23,333	18,006
CANNED VEGETABLES											
CND TOM PST(JUL)	MT										
CHILE		5,554	3,441	12,060	8,815	19,266	5,115	2,866	10,843	7,874	17,702
MEXICO		1,764	5,436	7,441	10,254	19,764	1,408	4,897	4,892	8,528	15,211
BRAZIL		531	83	16,880	1,095	17,130	704	83	13,716	1,035	13,954
OTHER		6,499	1,568	25,645	26,336	46,184	6,618	1,362	23,959	22,757	45,226
Subtotal:———		14,348	10,528	62,026	46,499	102,344	13,845	9,207	53,411	40,193	92,093
CND TOM SAUCE(JUL)	[illegible]										
EC-12		0	0	1,508	54	1,508	0	0	1,076	22	1,076
SPAIN		0	0	592	16	592	0	0	459	7	459
ITALY		0	0	621	37	621	0	0	379	15	379
ISRAEL		0	0	614	262	614	0	0	347	126	347
OTHER		266	0	375	467	976	133	0	188	263	451
Subtotal:———		266	0	2,498	783	3,098	133	0	1,610	411	1,874
CND TOMATO(JUL)	MT										
EC-12		373	1,615	44,409	16,267	45,471	233	930	26,798	7,848	27,374
ITALY		40	1,192	29,724	11,468	30,329	21	659	18,637	5,367	18,922
SPAIN		333	423	14,417	4,777	14,873	212	272	8,012	2,470	8,302
TAIWAN		3,664	1,395	7,634	2,172	11,017	2,314	892	4,611	1,382	6,786
OTHER		3,533	2,983	8,508	22,442	14,910	1,871	1,788	4,688	13,035	8,214
Subtotal:———		7,569	5,993	60,551	40,880	71,397	4,418	3,610	36,097	22,266	42,374
CND MSHROOM(JUL)	MT										
CHINA (MAINLAND)		4,645	438	24,558	6,608	29,261	10,336	816	55,155	14,409	65,923
TAIWAN		1,332	1,571	6,272	7,777	8,487	3,968	5,135	17,274	23,800	23,916
OTHER		1,375	2,437	10,952	24,141	14,164	3,339	6,190	27,500	59,225	35,364
Subtotal:———		7,352	4,446	41,781	38,526	51,913	17,644	12,140	99,929	97,434	125,204
FROZEN VEGETABLES											
FZN BROCLI(SEP)	MT										
MEXICO		11,465	14,358	60,524	73,150	94,970	7,012	9,746	37,584	48,897	57,985
OTHER		197	66	6,359	6,191	7,830	136	57	4,662	4,112	5,660
Subtotal:———		11,662	14,425	66,884	79,340	102,800	7,148	9,[illegible]04	42,246	53,009	63,645
FZN CAULFLR(SEP)	MT										
MEXICO		307	249	17,550	23,332	19,722	214	201	11,517	16,275	13,165
OTHER		42	124	847	994	1,612	31	78	584	688	1,055
Subtotal:———		349	372	1[illegible],397	24,326	21,334	246	279	12,101	16,962	14,220
FZN POTATO(SEP)	MT										
CANADA		3,84[illegible]	5,634	30,401	33,515	45,549	1,9[illegible]5	3,189	15,159	1[illegible],423	23,041
OTHER		3	88	237	902	630	6	49	149	514	356
Subtotal:———		3,851	5,722	30,638	34,416	46,179	2,001	3,238	15,308	18,937	23,398
TREE NUTS											
PISTACHIO NSH(SEP)	MT										
TURKEY		0	0	109	574	189	0	1	448	2,3[illegible]9	788
CHINA (MAINLAND)		18	0	117	0	187	51	0	308	0	498
HONG KONG		0	45	0	277	224	0	118	0	562	440
OTHER		0	0	6	56	60	0	3	16	239	244
Subtotal:———		18	46	233	907	660	51	122	771	3,190	1,970
CASHEW NUT(AUG)	MT										
INDIA		1,015	1,465	12,057	16,224	15,813	5,129	6,082	66,721	76,067	85,820
BRAZIL		1,839	1,790	16,045	16,607	20,308	7,153	5,830	69,234	62,501	85,119
OTHER		677	637	6,400	6,562	8,596	2,632	2,219	26,966	23,703	34,917
Subtotal:———		3,531	3,892	34,503	39,394	44,717	14,914	14,131	162,920	162,271	205,856
FILBERTS(AUG)	[illegible]										
TURKEY		154	189	2,724	1,860	3,357	436	522	7,928	4,885	9,529
EC-12		2	28	490	820	817	11	89	1,488	1,607	2,145
OTHER		1	0	178	75	191	1	0	532	211	566
Subtotal:———		156	216	3,391	2,756	4,365	448	610	9,948	6,703	12,240
PECANS NSH(SEP)	MT										
MEXICO		0	42	1,5[illegible]1	[illegible],912	1,591	0	64	2,059	7,805	2,059
OTHER		0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	32
Subtotal:———		0	42	1,591	4,912	1,604	0	64	2,059	7,805	2,091
WINES											
CHMP&SPRK WN(JAN)	KL										
EC-12		2,372	1,907	9,018	8,131	45,164	12,867	13,233	52,555	54,590	284,156
FRANCE		648	750	2,782	2,586	15,493	7,381	9,767	31,382	34,901	183,547
ITALY		881	369	3,444	2,719	16,534	2,737	1,222	12,357	10,719	60,653
OTHER		12	2	115	49	305	26	9	357	145	1,028
Subtotal:———		2,384	1,909	9,132	8,180	45,468	12,892	13,242	52,912	54,735	285,184
FT&VERM WN(JAN)	KL										
EC-12		870	1,186	4,000	4,831	15,518	2,591	4,289	12,471	16,709	49,750
ITALY		518	490	2,117	2,434	8,646	1,093	1,266	4,414	5,417	18,000
SPAIN		202	412	1,173	1,556	4,446	775	1,556	4,626	6,416	17,869
PORTUGAL		74	147	286	420	1,183	487	1,082	2,210	3,679	9,779
OTHER		5	0	65	58	117	21	0	342	131	535
Subtotal:———		874	1,186	4,[illegible]65	4,888	15,635	2,612	4,289	12,813	16,840	[illegible]0,284
OTH GP WINE(JAN)	KL										
EC-12		16,376	13,922	56,597	49,683	194,548	47,172	39,710	154,857	140,471	540,807
FRANCE		5,184	4,438	19,284	17,225	67,984	25,043	18,026	85,145	70,997	285,029
ITALY		8,334	6,747	27,078	23,859	91,508	15,108	15,089	47,271	48,829	174,472
OTHER		1,812	2,220	6,426	7,641	23,194	4,659	3,691	12,010	13,790	43,186
Subtotal:———		18,187	16,142	63,023	57,325	217,742	51,831	43,401	166,867	154,260	583,993
OTH [illegible] PROD(JAN)	KL										
JAPAN		309	164	1,094	832	2,734	697	[illegible]21	2,653	2,113	7,071
EC-12		415	39	982	159	3,084	471	28	1,268	153	3,709
OTHER		77	49	238	200	639	205	110	458	426	1,185
Subtotal:———		801	252	2,313	1,191	6,455	1,373	560	4,378	2,692	11,964
CUT FLOWERS											
ROSES(JAN)	NONE										
COLOMBIA		0	0	0	0	0	4,509	5,631	19,931	24,491	56,416
OTHER		0	0	0	0	0	1,204	1,772	7,735	9,196	18,896
Subtotal:———		0	0	0	0	0	5,713	7,402	27,666	33,687	75,312
CARNATIONS(JAN)	NONE										
COLOMBIA		0	0	0	0	0	6,452	7,616	24,383	26,015	68,675
OTHER		0	0	0	0	0	376	355	1,894	1,372	4,229
Subtotal:———		0	0	0	0	0	6,827	7,971	26,277	27,388	72,904

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